

## Funeral Service Held Yesterday for Mrs. A. E.N. Turnbull, Coaticook

COATICOOK: Funeral service for the late Mrs. Wilfreda Amelia Turnbull, widow of the late Professor A. E. N. Turnbull, former organist and choir-master at Coaticook United Church, was held yesterday afternoon at 2 p.m. at Sisco Memorial United Church, Rev. Geoffrey Joyce, officiating.

Mrs. Turnbull, 83, passed peacefully away Monday morning in the Sherbrooke Hospital, after 3 months and 2 days hospitalization. She had resided with her daughter Gladys, Mrs. Stanley Cromwell, Mr. Cromwell and Miss Irene Cromwell, on May Street, for the past few

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years. Her husband predeceased her about 6 years ago.

During her illness she had been lovingly cared for and watched over by her three daughters Gladys, Mrs. Stanley Cromwell, and Mary, Mrs. Stanley Beerworth, of Coaticook, and Elsie, Mrs. Gordon Beerworth, of Lennoxville, and her son, Mr. Jack Turnbull, of Coaticook.

An elder daughter, Mrs. Harry Pearsall of Picton, Ont., had visited her recently, as had her younger son, Mr. Harry Turnbull, now posted with the

Canadian Army in Western Canada, neither being able to attend the funeral.

Three other sons, all from Montreal, Mr. A. E. N. Turnbull Jr., Mr. Pat Turnbull and Mr. James Turnbull, all had paid frequent visits to their mother in hospital, and with their wives, and children of the former two, were present at the funeral.

Another son, Frank, of Charlottetown, P. E. I. and a daughter, Olive, Mrs. S. Burroughs, of Ayer's Cliff, were unable to attend.

During the brief service, Mr. Robert MacAlpine, choir director, sang the beautiful solo, "Rock of Ages", and the choir led in singing the hymn "Abide With Me".

A profusion of exceptionally lovely floral offerings from relatives and friends of the family were received at the funeral home and were placed on the choir rail and in front of the pulpit in the church, with a floral blanket from "The Family" covering the casket.

Burial took place in Mt. Forest Cemetery, beside her late husband, with Leonard Akhurst of J. H. Knapp Reg'd Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

Bearers were Messrs. George Engelhardt, Lyman Armitage, H. G. Bob Edwards and Charles Wells, all friends of the family.

Relatives attending the service were from Montreal, Valois, Chateaugay, Lennoxville, Drummondville and Coaticook.